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## Domestic Priority data as claimed by applicant

This application is a 371 of PCT/GB04/01467 04/02/2004

## Foreign Applications

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**Title**

Composite structure

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Prior Foreign Application Number(s)	Country	Foreign Filing Date (MM/DD/YYYY)	Priority Not Claimed	Certified Copy Attached? YES	NO
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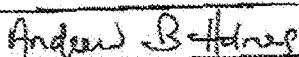
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